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# **STOCHASTIC HYDROLOGY**

Lecture -33

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# Summary of the previous lecture

- Regression on Principal components

$$x_{ij} = \frac{(X_{ij} - \bar{x}_j)}{s_j} \quad y_i = Y_i - \bar{y}$$

$$Z = X A$$

$$Y = Z B$$

# **MULTIVARIATE STOCHASTIC MODELS**

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- Stochastic models discussed for single site in relation with the auto correlations and auto covariance.
  - Thomas Fiering models
    - Stationary and non-stationary models
  - ARMA models
    - Box Jenkins models

$\{x_t\}$

$x_{t+1}$

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# Multivariate Stochastic models

First order Markov process:

$$X_{t+1} = \underbrace{\mu_x + \rho_1 (X_t - \mu_x)}_{\text{Deterministic component}} + \varepsilon_{t+1}$$

Random component

$\varepsilon \sim$  Mean 0 and variance  $\sigma_\varepsilon^2$

$$X_{t+1} = \mu_x + \rho_1 (X_t - \mu_x) + u_{t+1} \sigma_x \sqrt{1 - \rho_1^2}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

First order Markov model with non-stationarity, for stream flow generation:

$$X_{i,j+1} = \mu_{j+1} + \rho_j \frac{\sigma_{j+1}}{\sigma_j} (X_{ij} - \mu_j) + t_{i,j+1} \sigma_{j+1} \sqrt{1 - \rho_j^2}$$

$\rho_j$  is serial correlation between flows of  $j^{\text{th}}$  month and  $j+1^{\text{th}}$  month.

$$t_{i,j+1} \sim N(0, 1)$$

# ARIMA Models

ARMA (p, q)

$$X_t = \underbrace{\phi_1 X_{t-1} + \phi_2 X_{t-2} + \dots + \phi_p X_{t-p}}_{\text{AR of order 'p'}} + \underbrace{\theta_1 e_{t-1} + \theta_2 e_{t-2} + \dots + \theta_q e_{t-q}}_{\text{Residuals of order 'q'}} + e_t$$

$\{e_t\}$  is the residual series

Assumptions :  $\{e_t\}$  has zero mean with uncorrelated terms

$$\hat{X}_{t+1} = \sum_{j=1}^p \phi_j X_{t-j} + \sum_{j=1}^q \theta_j e_{t-j}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- Data generation (or forecasting) on a random variate depending on two or more sites is usually required.
  - For example, in the design of a reservoir, the flow from all the streams fed to the reservoir must be considered.
- If the time series for the random variables are independent, then the generation techniques for single site can be used.
- When they are not independent, it is important to consider the simultaneous behavior of the random variables.

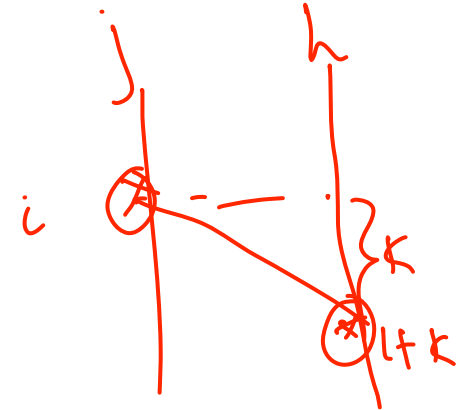


# Multivariate Stochastic models

- Correlation of a random variable between two sites is cross-correlation.
- Lag zero cross-correlation is the correlation of a random variable at two points in the same time period.
- Lag  $k$  cross-correlation,  $r_{j,h}(k)$  is the correlation between random variable at site  $j$  with the random variable at site  $h$ , with lag time  $k$ .

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$r_{j,h}(k) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_{j,i} - \bar{x}_j)(x_{h,i+k} - \bar{x}_h)}{(n-k)s_j s_h}$$

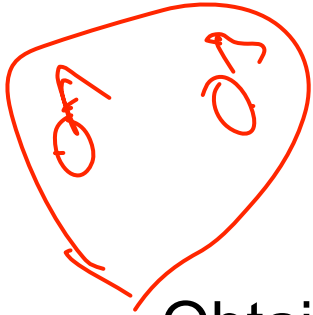


where

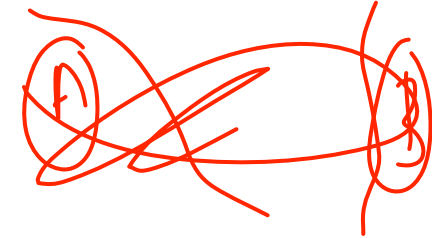
$n$  is the total number of pairs of observations on  $X_j$  and  $X_h$ ,

$x_{j,i}$  is the  $i^{\text{th}}$  observation on  $X_j$

$\bar{x}_j, s_j$  are the mean and standard deviation of the observations on  $X_j$



# Example – 1



Obtain the lag one cross correlation of annual rainfall data in mm at two sites A and B.

Year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Annual rainfall at site A (mm)	5496	7797	7392	7061	6564	5919	5053	3951	4280	5910
Annual rainfall at site B (mm)	5713	6934	6275	6641	6675	5605	5144	5116	4722	6869

Year	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Annual rainfall at site A (mm)	5145	6384	5679	6021	6733	8151	4151	4200	6704
Annual rainfall at site B (mm)	5226	7313	6068	5876	6044	8384	5149	5359	6197

## Example – 1 (Contd.)

Site	A	B
Mean	5926	6069
Std.dev.	1250.1	914.9

lag one cross correlation of sites A and B is given by

$$r_{A,B}(1) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_{A,i} - \bar{x}_A)(x_{B,i+1} - \bar{x}_B)}{(n-1)s_A s_B}$$

S.No. (i)	Annual rainfall at A	Annual rainfall at B	$(x_{A,i} - \bar{x}_A)$	$(x_{B,i+1} - \bar{x}_B)$	$\frac{(x_{A,i} - \bar{x}_A)}{(x_{B,i+1} - \bar{x}_B)}$
1	5496	5713	-430		
2	7797	6934	1871	865	-371836
3	7392	6275	1466	206	385557
4	7061	6641	1135	572	838719.5
5	6564	6675	638	606	687965.4
6	5919	5605	-7	-464	-296072
7	5053	5144	-873	-925	6328.587
8	3951	5116	-1975	-953	831772.6
9	4280	4722	-1646	-1347	2660008
10	5910	6869	-16	800	-1316760
11	5145	5226	-781	-843	13354.06
12	6384	7313	458	1244	-971409
13	5679	6068	-247	-0.95	-434.044
14	6021	5876	95	-193	47627.53
15	6733	6044	807	-25	-2373.94
16	8151	8384	2225	2315	1868613
17	4151	5149	-1775	-920	-2047028
18	4200	5359	-1726	-710	1260044
19	6704	6197		128	-220999
				$\Sigma$	3373079

## Example – 1 (Contd.)

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (x_{A,i} - \bar{x}_A)(x_{B,i+1} - \bar{x}_B) = 3373079$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_{A,B}(1) &= \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_{A,i} - \bar{x}_A)(x_{B,i+1} - \bar{x}_B)}{(n-1)s_A s_B} \\ &= \frac{3373079}{(19-1) \times 1250.1 \times 914.9} \\ &= 0.164 \end{aligned}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

Multisite Markov model (Two sites):

- Model preserves mean, variance, skewness, lag one serial correlation and lag zero cross-correlation (Haan 1977).
- One site is to be selected as key site.
- Selection may be based on the length of the data and the quality of the record.
- Consider  $j$  as the key site and  $h$  as the subordinate site to key site  $j$ .
- A sequence of observations is generated for site  $j$  using single site generation technique.

Ref.: Haan, C.T. (1977) Statistical methods in Hydrology, Iowa State University Press

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- A cross-correlation model is used to generate values of site  $h$  based on generated values at site  $j$ .

$$X_{h,t} = \bar{x}_h + r_{j,h}(0) \frac{s_h}{s_j} (X_{j,t} - \bar{x}_j) + u_t s_h \sqrt{1 - r_{j,h}^2(0)}$$

$j$  and  $h$  refer to two sites, in this model

First order Markov model with non-stationarity  
(single site)

$$X_{i,j+1} = \mu_{j+1} + \rho_j \frac{\sigma_{j+1}}{\sigma_j} (X_{ij} - \mu_j) + t_{i,j+1} \sigma_{j+1} \sqrt{1 - \rho_j^2}$$

$i$  is year  $j$  is month in this model



# Multivariate Stochastic models

where

$u_t$  is a standardized random variate adjusted to incorporate the serial correlation at site  $h$ .

$$u_t = \xi \frac{(X_{h,t-1} - \bar{x}_h)}{s_h} + t_t \sqrt{1 - \xi^2}$$

$t_t$  is a standardized random variate

*Serial Correlation*

$$\xi = \frac{r_h(1) - r_j(1)r_{j,h}^2(0)}{\sqrt{1 - r_{j,h}^2(0)}}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

Multisite Markov model:

- Multisite generation requires simultaneous generation of data at several sites while preserving the correlation between the data at various sites.
- Consider  $x_{j,t}$

$$x_{j,t} = \frac{(x_{j,t} - \bar{x}_j)}{s_j}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$X_{t+1} = \mu_x + \rho_1 (X_t - \mu_x) + u_{t+1} \sigma_x \sqrt{1 - \rho_1^2}$$

- The first order Markov model for site h is

$$x_{h,t+1} = \rho_h (1) x_{h,t} + \varepsilon_{h,t+1} \sqrt{1 - \rho_h^2 (1)}$$

$\mu = 0$  and  $\sigma = 1$  because it is standardized data

- The first order Markov model for site j is

$$x_{j,t+1} = \rho_j (1) x_{j,t} + \varepsilon_{j,t+1} \sqrt{1 - \rho_j^2 (1)}$$

- The equations are written in matrix form

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$X_{t+1} = EX_t + G\mathcal{E}$$

where

$X_t$  is a  $p \times 1$  vector of standardized values of the variable generated at time  $t$ ,

$E$  is a  $p \times p$  diagonal matrix whose  $j^{\text{th}}$  diagonal element is  $\rho_j(1)$ ,

$G$  is a  $p \times p$  diagonal matrix whose  $j^{\text{th}}$  diagonal element is  $\sqrt{1 - \rho_j^2(1)}$

$\mathcal{E}$  is a  $p \times 1$  vector of random variates

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- $\mathcal{E}$  is defined to preserve the first order serial correlation (auto correlation) of the  $x_j$  's and the lag zero cross-correlation between  $x_j$  and  $x_h$  .

- $\mathcal{E}$  is made of elements that are  $\varepsilon_{j,t+1}$ ; each  $\varepsilon_{j,t+1}$  is independent of  $x_{j,t}$  ;  $\varepsilon_j$  is  $N(0, 1)$

- The cross correlation between  $\varepsilon_j$  and  $\varepsilon_h$  is  $\rho_{j,h}^*(0)$ ,

$$\rho_{j,h}^*(0) = \frac{\{1 - \rho_j(1)\rho_h(1)\} \rho_{j,h}(0)}{\sqrt{\{1 - \rho_j^2(1)\}\{1 - \rho_h^2(1)\}}}$$

- $\rho_{j,h}^*(0)$  reproduces the desired  $\rho_{j,h}(0)$ , which is the lag zero cross correlation between  $x_j$  and  $x_h$  .

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = AD_{\lambda}^{1/2}e$$

where

$D_{\lambda}^{1/2}$  is a  $p \times p$  diagonal matrix whose  $j^{\text{th}}$  diagonal element is the square root of the  $j^{\text{th}}$  largest eigenvalue of the  $p \times p$  correlation matrix whose elements are  $\rho_{j,h}^*(0)$

$A$  is a  $p \times p$  matrix consisting of eigenvectors of correlation matrix,

$e$  is  $p \times 1$  vector of independent observations from  $N(0,1)$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- Matalas (1967) has given a multisite normal generation model that preserves the means, variances, lag one serial correlation, lag one cross-correlations and lag zero cross-correlations.

$$X_{t+1} = AX_t + B\mathcal{E}_{t+1}$$

where

$X_t$  and  $X_{t+1}$  are  $p \times 1$  vectors representing standardized data corresponding to  $p$  sites at time steps  $t$  and  $t+1$  resp.

Ref.: Matalas, N.C. (1967) Mathematical assessment of synthetic hydrology, Water Resources Research 3(4):937-945

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$\varepsilon_{t+1}$  is a form of  $N(0,1)$  with  $\varepsilon_{t+1}$  independent of  $X_t$ .

A and B are coefficient matrices of size  $p \times p$ .

$$X_{t+1} = \begin{bmatrix} x(1,t+1) \\ x(2,t+1) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x(i,t+1) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x(p,t+1) \end{bmatrix} \quad X_t = \begin{bmatrix} x(1,t) \\ x(2,t) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x(i,t) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ x(p,t) \end{bmatrix} \quad \varepsilon_{t+1} = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon(1,t+1) \\ \varepsilon(2,t+1) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \varepsilon(i,t+1) \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \varepsilon(p,t+1) \end{bmatrix}$$



# Multivariate Stochastic models

- The equation form is

$$x_{i,t+1} = \sum_{j=1}^p a_{i,j} x(j,t) + \sum_{j=1}^i b_{i,j} \varepsilon(i,t+1)$$

where

$a_{i,j}$  and  $b_{i,j}$  denote the  $(i, j)$ th elements of the matrices A and B.

B is assumed to be lower triangular matrix.

# Multivariate Stochastic models

Coefficient matrices A and B:

- The expectation of  $X_t X_t'$  is denoted by  $M_0$

$$M_0 = E [X_t X_t']$$

If  $m_0(i, j)$  is a element of  $M_0$  matrix in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row and  $j^{\text{th}}$  column,

$$m_0(i, j) = \frac{1}{n} [x(i, 1)x(j, 1) + x(i, 2)x(j, 2) + \dots + x(i, n)x(j, n)]$$

$$m_0(i, j) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{t=1}^n x(i, t)x(j, t)$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$m_0(i, j) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{t=1}^n \left( \frac{X_{i,t} - \bar{x}_i}{s_i} \right) \left( \frac{X_{j,t} - \bar{x}_j}{s_j} \right)$$

i.e.,  $m_0(i, j)$  is correlation coefficient between the data at sites  $i$  and  $j$  at time  $t$ .

Therefore  $M_0$  is the cross-covariance matrix of lag zero

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- The expectation of  $X_t X_{t-1}'$  is denoted by  $M_1$

$$M_1 = E [ X_t X_{t-1}' ]$$

If  $m_1(i, j)$  is a element of  $M_1$  matrix in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row and  $j^{\text{th}}$  column,

$$m_1(i, j) = \frac{1}{n} [ x(i, 1)x(j, 0) + x(i, 2)x(j, 1) + \dots x(i, n)x(j, n-1) ]$$

$$m_1(i, j) = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{t=2}^n x(i, t)x(j, t-1)$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$m_1(i, j) = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{t=2}^n \left( \frac{X_{i,t} - \bar{x}_i}{s_i} \right) \left( \frac{X_{j,t-1} - \bar{x}_j}{s_j} \right)$$

i.e.,  $m_1(i, j)$  represents lag one cross correlation between the data at sites  $i$  and  $j$ .

Therefore  $M_1$  is the cross-covariance matrix of lag one

# Multivariate Stochastic models

Considering the model,

$$X_{t+1} = AX_t + B\mathcal{E}_{t+1}$$

Post multiplying with  $X_t'$  on both sides and taking the expectation,.

$$E[X_{t+1}X_t'] = AE[X_tX_t'] + \underbrace{BE[\mathcal{E}_{t+1}X_t']}_0$$

$$M_1 = AM_0 + 0$$

$$A = M_1M_0^{-1}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

Post multiplying with  $X_{t+1}'$  on both sides and taking the expectation,.

$$X_{t+1} = AX_t + B\varepsilon_{t+1}$$

$$\underbrace{E[X_{t+1}X_{t+1}']}_{M_0} = AE[X_tX_{t+1}'] + BE[\varepsilon_{t+1}X_{t+1}']$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$M_1 = E [ X_t X_{t-1}' ]$$

$$M_1' = \left\{ E [ X_t X_{t-1}' ] \right\}'$$

$$= E \left[ \left\{ X_t X_{t-1}' \right\}' \right]$$

$$= E [ X_{t-1} X_t' ]$$

or

$$M_1' = E [ X_t X_{t+1}' ]$$



# Multivariate Stochastic models

$$\begin{aligned}\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' X_{t+1}' &= \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' \left\{ A X_t + B \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1} \right\}' \\ &= \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' X_t' A' + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' B'\end{aligned}$$

Taking expectation on both sides,

$$\begin{aligned}E \left[ \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' X_{t+1}' \right] &= E \left[ \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' X_t' A' + \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' B' \right] \\ &= E \left[ \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' X_t' A' \right] + E \left[ \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{t+1}' B' \right] \\ &= 0 + I B' \\ &= B'\end{aligned}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

Substituting in the equation,

$$E \left[ X_{t+1} X_{t+1}' \right] = AE \left[ X_t X_t' \right] + BE \left[ \varepsilon_{t+1} \varepsilon_{t+1}' \right]$$

$$M_0 = AM_1 + BB'$$

$$M_0 = M_1 M_0^{-1} M_1' + BB'$$

$$BB' = M_0 - M_1 M_0^{-1} M_1'$$

$$A = M_1 M_0^{-1}$$

If  $C = BB'$

$$C = M_0 - M_1 M_0^{-1} M_1'$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- B does not have a unique solution.
- One method is to assume B is a lower triangular matrix.

$$BB' = \begin{bmatrix} b(1,1) & 0 & 0 & \cdot & \cdot & 0 \\ b(2,1) & b(2,2) & 0 & \cdot & \cdot & 0 \\ \cdot & \cdot & & & & \\ \cdot & \cdot & & & & \\ b(p,1) & b(p,2) & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & b(p,p) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b(1,1) & b(2,1) & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & b(p,1) \\ 0 & b(2,2) & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & b(p,2) \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ 0 & 0 & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & b(p,p) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} c(1,1) & c(1,2) & c(1,3) & \cdot & \cdot & c(1,p) \\ b(2,1) & b(2,2) & b(2,3) & \cdot & \cdot & b(2,p) \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ b(p,1) & b(p,2) & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & b(p,p) \end{bmatrix}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- The diagonal elements of the B matrix are obtained as,

$$b(1,1) = c(1,1)^{1/2}$$

$$b(2,2) = \{c(2,2) - b^2(2,1)\}^{1/2}$$

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$$b(k,k) = \{c(k,k) - b^2(k,k-1) - b^2(k,k-2) - \dots - b^2(k,1)\}^{1/2}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- The elements in the  $k^{\text{th}}$  row are obtained as,

$$b(k,1) = \frac{c(k,1)}{b(1,1)}$$

$$b(k,2) = \frac{c(k,2) - b(2,1)b(k,1)}{b(2,2)}$$

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$$b(k,j) = \frac{c(k,j) - b(j,1)b(k,1) - b(j,2)b(k,2) \dots b(j,j-1)b(k,j-1)}{b(j,j)}$$

# Multivariate Stochastic models

- If the model is to fit the data, the matrices  $M_0$  and  $BB'$  should be positive definite.
- This condition is used to check the inconsistency in the data.
- Assumption is that the model is multivariate normal.